

IDEAS.

Politeness is the poetry of conduct.
True generosity finds expression in little kindnesses.

Whatever you choose to give away, be sure to keep your temper.

If through some cause or other you are late in planting you will do well to soak your seed, corn, beans or small seed, over night in luke-warm water.

READ.—Proverbs 30: 24 to 28.

TAKE NOTICE.

The G. A. R. Memorial Service will be held in the Tabernacle next Sunday morning. Rev. W. H. Robe will preach the sermon.

Miss Frances Bridges, traveling secretary of the Y. W. C. A., will be in Berea May 26-28, and will address the young women. Further announcement will be made.

FROM THE WIDE WORLD.

Cuba took her place among the republics Tuesday, the 20th.

There is strong foundation that peace will be declared between the British and Boers in South Africa.

England gladly accepted an offer from the U. S. Government to aid the survivors of the volcanic outburst in the Island of St. Vincent.

The death roll in the Island of Martinique and the Island of St. Vincent, in the West Indies, from the volcanic eruptions last week is believed to be near 50,000.

An anarchist plot against the king of Spain is discovered. Dynamite was seized, and a dozen men arrested Saturday, May 17, the day of the young king's coronation.

IN OUR OWN COUNTRY.

The Senate voted \$300,000 to the St. Pierre sufferers, making the amount appropriated by the Government for their relief, \$500,000.

At 7:30 Monday morning an explosion of gas in Fraterville coal mine, two miles west of Coal Creek, Tenn., killed instantly 225 men and boys.

Reed Smoot, of Provo, Utah, an apostle of the Mormon Church, has announced his candidacy for the U. S. Senate to succeed Senator Rawlins.

The land refinery of Armour & Co. in the Union stockyards, Chicago, burned Friday. Loss, \$900,000. Seventeen persons were injured by the fall of a viaduct, four will probably die.

Eight blocks of business houses in Golind, Texas, were destroyed, and thirty negroes and twenty-seven white people were killed, besides about eighty others injured in a cyclone at that place Sunday.

Six persons were drowned, one was crushed in the gutter, and many others were dangerously injured, some of whom may die, by a violent storm of rain in Cincinnati, O., Tuesday morning at 10:30.

The striking miners in the anthracite coal region of Hazelton, Pa., on Sunday, took a solemn oath to abstain from intoxicating liquors during the period of the strike. Some 450,000 workers are directly affected by the strike.

Andrew Carnegie has offered to pay to the United States \$20,000,000 for the Philippine Islands, provided he is authorized to announce to the Filipinos that their independence would be recognized by the United States.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY.

Barboursville is to have an electric light plant soon.

Danville is to have a free mail delivery in a few months.

The W. C. T. U. Convention will be held in Nicholasville May 21-23.

Congress has appropriated \$40,000 for a public building at Maysville.

The cut worm is doing much damage to the hemp crop in Garrard Co.

The First National Bank, of Barboursville, elected Mrs. M. P. Dowis vice president.

D. D. Hurst will succeed J. Porter Crain as postmaster at Jackson. He takes charge June 1.

Prof. M. L. Pence, physicist of Kentucky State College, Lexington, has been illustrating to his classes the possibilities of wireless telegraphy.

EDUCATIONAL SITUATION IN THE SOUTH.

Facts for Statesmen, Teachers, Preachers and Others.

In 1899-1900, the last year for which statistics are available in condensed form, the number of children of school age in the ten States south of the Potomac and the Ohio and east of the Mississippi, including Louisiana, was 5,645,164; the total population, 16,662,257. The total amount expended for public schools in these States was \$14,358,201; the total value of public school property, \$22,097,216.

The average amount expended for each child of school age in these ten States was \$2.72. The average value of school property for each child, including houses, grounds and equipments, was \$3.93, varying from \$1.66 in North Carolina to \$7.80 in Kentucky. This is an accumulation of school property equal only to 57 cents per capita of the entire population of North Carolina, and \$2.86 in Kentucky. The average value of school property per capita for the ten States was \$1.33. The total per capita expenditure for schools varies from 50 cents in Alabama to \$1.45 in Florida, the average for the ten States being 86 cents. The average length of school term varied from 71 days in North Carolina to 120 days in Louisiana—about 100 days for the ten States.

The number of days of schooling actually given each child of school age varied from 22 in North Carolina to 52 in Kentucky. The average for the ten States was 43 days, only 3 days more than two months of 20 days each. The average annual salary paid to teachers in these States varied from \$86 for males and \$78 for females in North Carolina to \$253 for males and \$213 for females in Kentucky, the average for the ten States being about \$175 for males and \$150 for females. These figures include both city and county schools.

At this rate, how long will it take to educate the masses of the people of these States?

MODEL SCHOOLS EXHIBITION.

The Annual Exhibition by the Model Schools was given in the Tabernacle Tuesday night. No doubt the rain prevented many persons from going, but the entertainment was in no degree lessened because of the state of the weather. Had the night been fine and clear there would have been considerable difficulty in seating the crowd, that is, judging from the fine audience that was present. Every person seemed to enjoy himself, and a number of them pronounced this exhibition to have been the very best ever given on a like occasion. It is not too much to say that, if the teachers have acquitted themselves as well in their work during the year as the pupils of the Model Schools did on Tuesday night, they will have good reason to expect advancement in their classes all along the line, and to deserve the welcome "well done."

Don't Start Wrong.

Don't start the summer with a lingering cough or cold. We all know what a "summer cold is." It's the hardest kind to cure. Often it "hangs on" through the entire season. Take it in hand right now. A few doses of One Minute Cough Cure will set you right. Sure cure for coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. Children like it. "One Minute Cough Cure is the best cough medicine I ever used," says J. H. Bowles, Groveton, N. H. "I never found anything else that acted so safely and quickly." For sale by East End Drug Co.

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LADY'S GOLD FILLED WATCH

guaranteed ten (10) years, will be given away in this sale. A card having a number will be in each package. One of the numbers will correspond with a number to be selected by Mr. W. H. Porter, cashier of Berea Banking Company and kept by him in the bank safe until close of sale June 5, and the person holding the card corresponding to the number held by Mr. Porter will get this Lady's Fine watch. No person, not even Mr. Porter or myself, can possibly know which package will draw the Grand Prize, which will be given with a package of jewelry, fully worth its cost, for 25 cents.

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